

*** Utah Energy Forum ***

Building Utah's Clean Energy Economy: "Green Collar" Workforce and Economic Development

Sponsored by Utah Clean Energy and the Utah Department of Workforce Services

Location: Utah Dept. of Workforce Services, 300 South 140 East When: October 21, 2008 7:45 am – 10:00 am (includes breakfast)

This forum will explore the growing potential and opportunities for workforce and economic development in "green collar" industries and the emerging clean energy economy. Expert panelists will explore the national and regional trends in clean energy industries, identify what Utah is doing in this arena, and examine how Utah can benefit directly from a robust clean energy economy and skilled workforce.

Please RSVP to Cherie Anderson at CHERALYNANDERSON@utah.gov or call (801) 538-8652.

| Time | Topic |
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| 7:45 am | Breakfast |
| 8:00 am | WelcomeDianne R. Nielson, Governor's Energy Advisor |
| 8:05 am | National Trends in Clean Energy Workforce and Economic Development Brad Collins, American Solar Energy Society |
| 8:30 am | Regional Clean Energy Workforce Initiatives and SuccessesCraig Cox, Interwest Energy Alliance |
| 8:55 am | Utah's 21 st Century Workforce InitiativeKristin Cox, Utah Department of Workforce Services (Invited) |
| 9:20 am | Training and Education Opportunities for Utah's Clean Energy WorkforceLee Brinton, Salt Lake Community College |
| 9:45am | Question & Answer Session |
| 9:55 am | Closing remarksDianne R. Nielson |